Proclamation



CITY OF NORTHAMPTON COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

ARMED FORCES FAMILY APPRECIATION DAY May 23, 2015

WHEREAS Saturday, May 23, 2015 is a day to honor the commitment,

dedication and service of area veterans and their families, who

are the silent heroes who share in the sacrifice; and

WHEREAS we should remember that America's military spouses are

essential to the strength of the nation as they serve our country by providing support to our troops during their service and

beyond; and

WHEREAS there are approximately two million military children who make

up a very special part of our nation's population with the

steadfast support of their military parents; and

WHEREAS May 23, 2015 the Veteran's council of Northampton will host

the first annual Armed Force Family Appreciation Day at Look Park offering activities, food, and information to veterans and

their families; and

NOW.

THEREFORE I, Mayor David J. Narkewicz, do hereby proclaim May 23,

2015 to be

Armed Forces Family Appreciation Day

in the City of Northampton and urge citizens to join me in thanking the men and women who served in the armed forces along with their families for their service to our country.

In Witness whereof, I have set my hand and imprinted the seal of the City of Northampton this 23rd day of May, 2015.

Mayor David J. Narkewicz